

# REPORT

OF THE

## Receipts and Expenditures

OF THE

### TOWN OF HAMILTON,

FROM MARCH, 1865, TO MARCH, 1866.

#### Receipts.

Cash in Treasury, March, 1865,.....	\$1024 11
Received of George B. Dodge, Collector for 1863,..	5 00
“ . “ N. B. Butler, “ “ 1865,..	7421 48
“ Interest on County Tax,.....	2 74
“ State Aid, reimbursed,.....	1965 20
“ Corporation Tax,.....	68 18
“ Massachusetts School Fund,.....	35 42
“ Recruiting Money returned from State,..	300 00
“ from Town of Gloucester,.....	5 00
Cash hired,.....	2800 00
	\$13,627 13

#### Expenditures.

Outstanding orders, 1863 and 1864,.....	\$19 88
Notes Paid,.....	3356 91
Interest on Notes,.....	919 10
State Tax,.....	2350 00

County Tax,.....	524 90
Recruiting Money reimbursed, in accordance with the vote of the Town, .....	1634 00
Orders drawn the present year,.....	2489 87
State Aid,.....	1140 50
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	\$12,435 16

## Schools.

### NORTH DISTRICT.

Paid Isaac D. Patch, wood and building fire,.....	\$20 00
“ Hattie M. Brown, teaching 12 weeks, Summer term,.....	62 90
“ Mr. Perkins, teaching, Winter term,.....	100 00

### EAST DISTRICT.

Paid F. R. Allen, wood and building fire,.....	\$27 75
“ Lizzie M. Sayward, teaching 12 weeks, Summer term, .....	59 75
“ Martha E. Whittredge, teaching 12 weeks, Winter term,.....	90 00

### SOUTH DISTRICT.

Paid Joshua Appleton, wood and building fire,.....	\$27 75
“ S. A. M. Billings, teaching 12 weeks, Summer term,.....	61 75
“ Charlotte Leach, teaching 12 weeks, Winter term,.....	90 00

### WEST DISTRICT.

Paid Helen A. Leach, teaching 12 weeks, Summer term, .....	60 00
“ “ “ “ “ “ Winter term, .....	90 00
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	\$689 90

## Poor Department.

### FOR JOANNA KENT.

Paid George B. Dodge, 1 cord wood,.....	\$9 00
“ “ “ “ supplies,.....	7 00
“ E. P. Dodge, groceries, .....	87 50
“ Elbridge Dodge, 1 cord wood, .....	9 00
“ George Dodge, 1-2 cord wood,....	4 50
“ James M. Woodman, house rent,.....	30 00

### FOR ROBERT F. DODGE.

Paid Estate of George Meacom, house rent,.....	\$50 00
“ John Pickett, wood and coal, ..	52 50
“ Robert Whipple, groceries,.....	135 50
“ Israel F. Lee, bill for funeral charges for R. F. Dodge's daughter, ..	15 50

### FOR EUNICE LEFAVOUR.

Paid board to Aaron Goodhue, 1 year,....	\$130 00
“ Clothing, .....	3 55

### FOR KENDALL DODGE.

Paid County of Essex, board 1 year,....	\$130 36
“ Clothing, .....	30 00

### FOR E. E. MEADY.

Paid City of Salem, 1 ton coal,.....	\$13 00
“ T. M. Prime, groceries,.....	16 00

### FOR ELIZA ANNABLE.

Paid City of Boston, assistance in 1863 and 1864,...	\$12 50
Paid Dr. Flitner, medical attendance to E. Haskell's daughter, 1864,.....	\$5 00
“ D. M. Hoyt, coffin and funeral charges for John Andrews,.....	16 00
“ George B. Dodge, journeys out of town,.....	3 25
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	\$760 16

## Abatements.

Allowed N. B. Butler, Collector, 1865. ....	\$21 17
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## Discount on Taxes.

Allowed N. B Butler, 5 per cent deduction on Taxes	
paid before Nov. 15, 1865,.....	\$343 41

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## Salaries and Fees.

G. B. Dodge, services as Assessor,.....	\$22 50
“ “ “ “ “ Overseer of Poor,.....	5 00
“ “ “ “ “ Constable,.....	4 00
“ “ “ “ “ Selectman,.....	6 00
N. B. Butler, “ “ Collector,.....	48 00
“ “ “ “ “ Overseer of Poor,.....	5 00
“ “ “ “ “ Selectman,.....	6 50
“ “ “ “ “ Assessor,.....	26 25
S. G. Hiler, “ “ “.....	20 00
“ “ “ “ “ Overseer of Poor,.....	5 00
“ “ “ “ “ Selectman,.....	5 00
D. E. Safford, “ “ Treasurer,.....	20 00
“ “ “ “ “ School Committee,.....	10 00
J. P. Lovering, “ “ Clerk,.....	10 00
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## Roads and Bridges.

Paid Isaac W. Kimball, labor on bridge,.....	\$5 25
“ “ “ “ working non-resident tax,.....	3 58
“ Richard D. Knowlton, “ “ “.....	3 58
“ “ “ “ labor on road,.....	2 17
“ E. A. Whipple, working non-resident tax,.....	3 57
“ Joseph Knowlton, “ “ “.....	3 57
“ “ “ “ T. Patch’s “.....	1 72
“ “ “ “ C. A. Nason’s “.....	58
“ “ “ “ extra labor on road,.....	4 20
“ Geo. Brown, working non-resident tax, ... ..	3 58
“ “ “ “ extra labor on bridge,.....	4 00

Paid Samuel Dodge, working non-resident tax, 1864,...	6 98
“ Asa W. Trowt, “ “ “ .....	3 57
“ Anna Brown for gravel, .....	5 00
“ John H. Cogswell, plank and teaming the same for Manning's bridge,.....	16 75
“ Geo. B. Dodge, labor and material for bridge,....	10 75
“ Jarvis Lamson, working non-resident tax,.....	3 58
“ Charles Patch, “ “ “ .....	3 57
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	\$85 95

### Clearing Snow.

Paid Samuel Dodge, clearing snow, 1864,.....	\$5 10
“ T. W. Kimball, “ “ .....	7 80
“ Rich'd D. Knowlton, “ “ ....	7 20
“ R. K. Patch, “ “ 1863,.....	96
“ E. A. Whipple, “ “ .....	3 44
“ Jos. Knowlton, “ “ .....	17 40
“ F. R. Allen, “ “ .....	1 60
“ George Brown, “ “ .....	2 80
“ Jarvis Lamson, “ “ .....	6 20
“ George Appleton, “ “ 1864,.....	2 80
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	\$55 30

### Incidental Expenses.

Paid Wm. Lakeman, stock and making 7 guide boards,	\$4 37
“ G. B. Dodge, journey to Boston, .....	3 60
“ S. G. Hiler, “ “ “ .....	3 60
“ Perambulating lines,.....	4 00
“ John Foster, care of Selectmen's room 2 years,..	4 00
“ “ “ lodging poor traveller, .....	50
“ J. P. Lovering for recording soldiers' names and obtaining intelligence about soldiers,.....	6 80
“ J. P. Lovering, journey to Ipswich,.....	1 50
“ Isaac F. Knowlton, 2 guide posts,.....	1 50

Paid N. B. Butler,	journey to Boston, pay State tax, &c,.....	3 60
" " "	cash for warrant in relation to dogs and certifying same to Dist. Att'y,	1 05
" " "	repairing Cemetery wall,.....	75
" " "	services rendered and cash for obtaining information for Pro't Mars'l,	1 75
" " "	procuring and erecting guide boards stationery \$1 30; aid to poor travellers \$3 75,.....	5 05
" " "	surveying lines between Topsfield and Hamilton,.....	3 00
" " "	Postage and Stationery,.....	66
" " "	services rendered and cash, for preparing Statistics, State Aid, . . . .	2 50
" " "	making annual report,.....	3 00
" " "	for obtaining military statistics for Tappan Wentworth, . . . . .	1 00
" " "	cash sundry persons for services rendered at fire in Wenham swamp,..	137 00
" " "	one day service at the factory.....	2 00
" " "	perambulating lines,.....	6 00
" John G. Felt,	painting and lettering guide boards,	9 75
" Daniel E. Safford,	Postage Stamps, . . . . .	50
" " " "	appearance Legislative Committee,.....	5 00
" George Appleton,	nails for guide board,....	40
" G. B. Dodge,	notifying Town Officers,. . . . .	2 50
" H. P. Ives,	stationery, . . . . .	5 08
" Salem Obs'r Office,	print'g Auditor's Reports, '64,	12 00
" " " " "	School " "	7 00
" " " " "	Tax Bills,....	3 37
" Jos. P. Lovering,	recording births, marriages and deaths,.....	4 80
" D. M. Hoyt,	School, North District,.....	1 38
" " " "	West " . . . . .	92
" " " "	Mrs. Kent,.....	65
" " " "	labor on Cemetery,.....	28 00
" " " "	Postage, 1 40, return of deaths, 2 50,	3 90



Paid S. G. Hiler, aid to poor travellers,.....	7 00
“ “ “ making Annual Report,....	3 00
“ G. B. Dodge, perambulating lines,.....	6 00
“ “ “ making out State Aid,.....	1 00
“ “ “ surveying lines between Topsfield and Hamilton,.....	2 00
“ “ “ making Annual Report,.....	3 00
“ Congregational Parish for use of vestry and room for Selectmen's Office,.....	30 00
“ F. R. Allen, journey to Boston,.....	3 00
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	\$340 73

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## Liquor Agency.

D. M. Hoyt.	Dr.
To amount stock on hand,.....	\$182 47
Profits for three years in cash,.....	58 63
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	241 10
Amount capital invested,.....	132 78
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Net profits 3 years, in cash and stock,.....	\$108 32

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## Recapitulation.

Expenses of Schools,.....	\$689 90
“ “ Poor,.....	760 16
Abatements, ....	21 17
Discount on Taxes,.....	343 41
Salaries and Fees,.....	193 25
Roads and Bridges,.....	85 95
Snow Bills,.....	55 30
Incidental Expenses,.....	340 73
State Aid, to January, 1866, ...	1140 60
State Tax,.....	2350 00
County Tax,.....	524 90

Outstanding Orders,.....	19 88
Interest on Notes,.....	919 10
Notes paid,.....	3356 91
Recruiting money reimbursed,.....	1634 00
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	\$12,435 16
Amount of cash in Treasury,.....	1717 47
“ due from D. M. Hoyt, Liquor Agent,.....	241 10
“ “ “ F. R. Allen, Collector, 1864,.....	94 09
“ “ “ N. B. Butler,.....	138 97
State Aid,.....	1140 50
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	\$3,332 13
Outstanding order,.....	50
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	\$3,331 63

### Town Debt.

Amount of Notes against the town,.....	\$19,062 00
Deduct balance in favor Treasury,.....	3,331 63
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Town debt,.....	\$15,730 37

NATHANIEL B. BUTLER, } *Selectmen*  
 STEPHEN G. HILER,       } *of*  
 GEORGE B. DODGE,       } *Hamilton.*

HAMILTON, MARCH, 1866.